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Dear Sir:

In response to the office action mailed on September 3, 2002:

Kindly amend the application as follows.

In the Specification:

Kindly delete the first sentence on page 1, which is the claim for priority of the current application.

Kindly amend page 3, last paragraph, as continuing to page 4, to read:

"The first plane (50) is disposed parallel to the second plane (60). The first plane (50) and second plane (60) are each 5 inches long, by 1 inch wide. The total thickness of the present invention is 1 inch. The compact size of the present invention allows the user to easily store a line wrapped neatly in a tackle box. In the interim of first (50) and second

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